

FAMILY
GROUP
RECORD

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:

DATES: 14 Apr 1794

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
 PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vt

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

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HUSBAND Jose FERNANDEZ Fernandez Family Spain
 Born _____ Place _____
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Marr. _____ Place _____
 Died 2 March 1877 Place New Orleans Orleans Louisiana
 Bur. Lafayette Cemetery #2 Place New Orleans Orleans Louisiana
 HUSBAND'S FATHER _____ HUSBAND'S MOTHER _____
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES _____

WIFE Elizabeth Caroline DOWNEY
 Born 1810 Place New York or Conn.
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Died 31 Jan 1884 Place New Orleans Orleans Louisiana
 Bur. _____ Place _____
 WIFE'S FATHER _____ WIFE'S MOTHER _____
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS _____

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names Surname		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
			DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM		DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	F	Mary Frances FERNANDEZ	3	April	1862	New Orleans	Orleans	LA					
2	M	Joseph FERNANDEZ	23	Nov	1864	New Orleans	Orleans	LA					
3	F	Rosa T FERNANDEZ	23	Dec	1865	New Orleans	Orleans	LA			18 Sept 1949		
4	F	Hermonie FERNANDEZ	31	Aug	1866	New Orleans	Orleans	LA	William C. NYDER				
5	M	Walter Henry FERNANDEZ	28	April	1868	New Orleans	Orleans	LA			7 June 1871		
6	F	Eleanor FERNANDEZ	22	March	1871	New Orleans	Orleans	LA			26 April 1889		
7	F	Leonora FERNANDEZ	10	April	1872	New Orleans	Orleans	LA			7 Feb 1874		
8 X	M	Florence Isabela FERNANDEZ	29	Dec	1873	New Orleans	Orleans	LA	14 Jan 1893	18 Dec 1950			
9	M	Richard FERNANDEZ				New Orleans	Orleans	LA	Chicot TARANTINO		Jan 1880		
10													
11													

SOURCES OF INFORMATION Baptismal Records St. Joseph Church New Orleans
 Vol 3, pg 594 #2 - Vol. 2 page 363 #2 - Birth + Death
 Record City of New Orleans - County Hospital Records New Orleans
 La. Masonic Cemetery Conti St. New Orleans, La. Records
 and Tombstone -

OTHER MARRIAGES

DO NOT CIRCULATE

Genealogy File

Saturday - 5 April, 1986

Dear Bob:

Enclosed please find a copy (15 pages) of the Succession of Joseph Fernandez #39,246, Second District Court. I copied the succession on the photo machine available at the library and recopied them at Kin Ko's; the former copy was grey, slick, darkens quickly with age, etc. I did not copy all the "title pages" as they contain no additional information.

Extractions:

Joseph Fernandez died on 17 January, 1877.
His widow, Elizabeth Caroline Downey applied for natural Tutorship of their children:

Rosa Theresa Fernandez, age 12 years

Horence Isabella Fernandez, age 3 years and 7 months

Richard Fernandez, age 3 years

Henry Kramer applied to be undertutor.

(Note: Henry Kramer's signature might be helpful in differentiating him from other Henry Kramers of the 1877 era in New Orleans.)

Elizabeth Caroline Downey is unable to write her name, she uses an "X".

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NOT CIRCULATED

Joseph Fernandez was employed as a steward on the Tow boat Rio Grande and fell over board and drowned on the night of 17 January, 1877 while the boat was laying at Government Wharf. George M. McTellan was Master of the Rio Grande.

The Coroners Office report, Volume ~~28~~ 29, Page 55 reports that on 2 March, 1877, the body of Joseph Fernandez, age 45 and a native of Spain, was found in the Mississippi River at the foot of Congress Street in the 3rd Dist. Cause of Death: Accidental Drowning

The Louisiana Historical Center Library (old mint) card index for Lafayette Cemetery No. 1 lists:
"Joseph Fernandez died 3 March, 1877.
Native of Spain, age 45 years; white." This was probably the date of burial.

Other listings for Lafayette Cemetery No. 1 include:
- Fernandez, Ferdinand died 21 June, 1875
Native of Spain, age 25.
- Downey, Michael died 28 Oct., 1864
age 21 years.

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Joseph Fernandez and Elizabeth Caroline Downey's first known child was born in April, 1862. Their date and place of marriage has not been located.

On 10 July, 1865 They acquired property on the 2nd Municipal District (a lot with buildings); this was on Gravier Street between Mud and Galvez - H. Madden, N. P.

On 26 Aug., 1868 They acquired property on Genesis (later called Celestine and finally N. Galvez) between Mandeville and Spain - P. E. Laroche, N. P.

A review of City Directories for 1859, 1861, 1866, 1867, 1868 and 1869 listed numerous Joseph Fernandez's; we can't be certain any of these are our party.

1870: Fernandez, Joseph: Policeman in 1st Precinct;
residence Gravier between Galvez + Mud.

1875, 1876 and 1877: No listing

1878: Fernandez, Elizabeth: w. Dow of Joseph;
Northside of Gravier between S. Galvez + S. Mud.

1879: No listing

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1880: Bateman, William: laborer; residence
Northside Gravel between St. Balmy and Miss.

1881, 1882, 1883: No listing

1884: Elizabeth Fernandez: widow of Jose;
residence 475 Gravel

Nyder, William: Jeweler; residence
15 3/2 Cypress

Orleans Parish Death Record: Volume 84, #443:

William Nyder, a native of Texas, of 475 Gravel
Street reported the death of:

Mrs. Widow Elizabeth Fernandez, a Native
of Conn., age 79 years, died 30 Jan., 1884.
at aforesaid residence of Pulmonary ^{consump.} Consumption.

Note: William Nyder was her son-in-law, having
married Rosa Theresa Fernandez; pulmonary
consumption was Tuberculosis of the lungs.
She left another daughter, Florence Isabelle
Fernandez about age 10. That alone tells us
that Elizabeth's age is erroneous.

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Roll 629 T9 (459)

1880 U.S. Census
Orleans Parish

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F. D. #24 - Page 22
- Page 576

House visited #227, families #238, 239, + 240.

		Born	Father	Mother
#238: Bateman, W ^m	- Age 28 - C — maker;	La	Ireland	Ireland
L	- 19 - wife	La	Germany	Germany
Geo	- 2 - son	La	La	La

#239: Fernandez, E	- Age 75 - ^{was a} ~~widow~~ ^{washer woman}	NY	Eng	Scotland
R. T.	- Age 15 - dau	La	N.Y.	Spain
J. E.	- Age 6 - dau	"	"	"

#240 Thomas, M. - Age 45 - Ky Ky Ky
This black female was a washer woman.

Note: "E" Fernandez is Elizabeth, R. T. is Rosa Theresa and J. E. is Florence Isabella. Elizabeth age is clearly listed as 75 years — certainly too old to have a 6 year old daughter. Possibly, she rented out part of her house and did laundry with the assistance of M. Thomas to provide for her family. It would appear that W^m Bateman and his wife L. (William was the son of George J Bateman and his wife Budget, natives of Ireland; his wife Lena, was the

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daughter of Edward and Margaret M. Hauff (Germany)
were not related to Elizabeth or her deceased
husband.

1870 U. S. Census - 28 June.

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3rd Ward - City of N.O. (Pages 403-728)

State of La.

1,319th house - 2,567th family:

Fernandez, Joseph - Age 36 - Metropolitan Police - Born in Spain

Elizabeth - Age 35 - Keeps house - Born in N.Y.

Mary - Age 7

Teresa - Age 5

Walter - Age 2

Here we have Elizabeth aged 35, a native of N.Y.
born circa 1835. She would be aged 45 (not 75)
in 1880 and aged 49 (not 79) in 1884 when
she died! This is appropriate and in accordance
with the age of her children and husband.

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1870

Also in the 3rd Ward on page 522 was:

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Downey, Elizabeth - Age 50 - Keeping house - Born in Ireland
Robert - Age 30 - Painter - Born in N. Y.
Isabella - Age 19 - Cook - Born in Ireland
Elizabeth - Age 20 - Seamstress - " " "

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1860 U. S. Census

3rd Ward

Page 116 Fernandez, Joseph - Age 25 - Cook - Native of Spain
in a S. Gormay (Galvez?) Coffee house

Page 259 Fernandez, J - Age 26 - Coffeehouse - Native of Spain
(Note: This is possibly our party who was age 36 in 1870)

Page 362 Bateman, Geo F - Age 36 - Grocer - Native of Ireland

Bridget - Age 35

Elizabeth - Age 12

* Wm - Age 6

Margaret - Age 5

Native of La.

" " "

" " "

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Downey, Elizabeth - Age (?55) - Native of Ireland

Robert - Age (?25) Bricklayer - Native of N. Y.

Isabella - Age 16 - Native of La.

Elizabeth - Age 14 - " " "

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1850 U.S. Census - 8 Oct
3rd Rep Dist
New Orleans

Page 246 Downey, Thomas - Age 42 - Brickmason - Born in Ireland
 Elizabeth 42 " " "
 Robert 16 - Born in Ia
 Sarah 10 - "
 Isabella 8 - "
 Elizabeth 6 - "

Obituary: Daily Crescent, 19 March, 1860:

On 18 March, Sarah Jane Downey, Native of
New Orleans, age 18 years + 7 months, eldest
daughter of the late Thomas Downey.
Residence 306 Common Street between
Villere and Robertson.

I include information on the Thomas and
Elizabeth Downey family (both natives of
Ireland) so anyone further researching
Elizabeth Caroline Downey (ca 1835 in N.Y. - 30 Jan., 1884)
whose parents were born in England and Scotland
and whose names are currently unknown, will
not confuse the families.

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I checked all Downey's listed in the 1850 U.S. Census for Louisiana (#11); nothing about the Orleans or Jefferson Parish Downey's "matched". In Lafourche Parish, a male, M. A. Downey age 28, had been born in New York. Our Elizabeth would have been about age 15 then.

Since we know nothing of Joseph Fernandez (ca 1833-1877) or Elizabeth Caroline Downey's (ca 1835-1884) parents or siblings perhaps identifying the Henry Kramer, who was appointed guardian of their 2 children and verified facts relative to Joseph's demise in 1877, would be helpful. Could he have been married to a Fernandez or Downey?

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City Directory 1877 and 1878

Kramer, Henry - Cook - residence west side of Pauline,
between Charles and Royal

Kramer, Henry - Laborer - residence west side of
Independence between Royal and Dauphine.

1880 U. S. Census

E.D. 62, Page (12)

Dauphine Street (no #)

House #81, family #107

Kramer, Henry - Age 40 - Cook - Germany

Sarah 38 - "

Lena 10 - La

Katie 7 - "

Josephine 4 - "

Wilhelmina 2 - "

Klotter, David 64 - Laborer - Germany

Charles 25 - Steamboat man - "

George 19 - Clerk - "

Obituary: Henry Kramer, husband of Sarah Klotter,
age 62 died 3 Sept., 1901.

There is no Orleans Parish Succession for him.

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Orleans Parish Marriage Records list these marriages

18/64 Henry Kromer, ^{Age 24} son of Philip Kromer + Catherine Taeffler
to Teresa Canavan on 25 August, 1895

19/260 Henry Kromer, Age 29, son of Henry Kromer and Mary Meyer
to Johanna L. Tideman on 29 July, 1896

The N.O. City Library Obituary file lists -

Henry Kromer, husband of Amelia Smith, aged 56
died 2 March, 1912 (born 1856).

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1900

Krammer, Henry - Age 51 (Dec 1848) - Born in La 720 Port
Emila - Age 33 (Nov 1866) - his sister

with Klotter
Kramer, Henry - Age 60 (Aug 1839) - Born in Germany - 919 Alva
Sarah 58
Josephine 24 Loarson
Whittemore 21
Klotter, Isabella 13

may Meyer
Kramer, Henry - Age 62 (Oct 1837) Born in Germany - 618 4th
Mary 60 Ireland
Mary 30 (Dec 1869) La

Kramer, Henry - Age 44 (July 1855) Born in La 2009 Chatter
Amelia 41
etc

There was also a Henry Kramer born in Germany (no date or age recorded) of New Iberia, wife Elizabeth born July, 1848. His wife, Elizabeth Landry's Obituary is on file. She died Oct., 1905.

My Kramer research revealed that Henry Kramer, husband of Sarah Klotter, was age 40 and a cook in 1880. Joseph Berendson was age 45 and a steward on a tug boat in 1887 so they had similar trades and were contemporaries. Henry Kramer's brother-in-law, Charles Klotter, was a Steamboat man, aged 25 in 1880.

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Possibly, a review of H. Madden, N. P. and/or
P. E. Lavelle, N. P. records of the 1860-1880's
case might reveal other documents relative
to Fernandez-Downey.

Bob, I never looked up the Conveyance records on
the properties that Joseph Fernandez and wife
purchased in 1865 (where they both lived in
until their deaths) and 1868. Why would they
have acquired property so far from where they
lived and which they never moved to?
Did they obtain it from a relative of one
or the other? Possibly you have checked this.

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DATE	NAME OF PRISONER	OCCUPATION	PLACE OF BIRTH
Monday Nov	Elizabeth Hernandez	Black or Manufacturing	Prussia Germany
Wednesday Nov	Elizabeth Hernandez		
Nov 26 1864	Elizabeth Hernandez		N York
Nov 27 1864	Mary St. Hernandez		N Orleans
Dec 1 1864	James Gable	Laborer	London England
Dec 1 1864	John Lane		London England
Nov 26 1864	Mary Cunningham		London England
Nov 1 1864	Mary Allen		N Orleans
Dec 11 1864	John W. Lonsdale		Germany
Dec 11 1864	Elizabeth W. Donald		Germany
Dec 11 1864	Benjamin W. Donald		Germany
Dec 11 1864	Alexander W. Donald		Germany
Dec 11 1864	William W. Donald		Germany
Dec 11 1864	Robert Cook		Germany
Nov 25 1864	Phineas Cook	Seaman	U.S. Army
Dec 24 1864	Thomas H. Smith		N Orleans
Dec 1 1864	Francis Strait	Seaman	Prussia Germany
Nov 28 1864	John M. Durrant	Carpenter	Prussia Germany
Nov 27 1864	Albert C. Stuchard	Printer	Prussia Germany
Dec 1 1864	Charles Rose	Farmer	Prussia Germany
Nov 13 1864	Bridge M. Murray	Seaman	Prussia Germany
Nov 25 1864	John Logan	Lab. Driver	Prussia Germany
Thursday Nov	Elizabeth Hagan		
Dec 1 1864	Helix Tencat		
Nov 28 1864	James W. Lonsdale		
Dec 1 1864	Margaret Williams		
Dec 11 1864	John W. Lonsdale		
Nov 27 1864	Ellen O'Neal		
Nov 1 1864	Mary Jane Porter		
Dec 1 1864	John Chester		
Friday Nov	Thomas Hagan		
Nov 27 1864	John W. Lonsdale		
Nov 1 1864	Mary Jane Porter		
Dec 1 1864	John Chester		

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city of New
Orleans, La.
Charity Hospital
Records
1862-186.
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AGE	LAST NAME	DATE	SEX	AGE	DATE	SEX	AGE	DATE	SEX
40	Pyelocichung	18 June	M	1			6		
54	Gabrielson	18 June	M	1			6		
25	Decatur	18 June	M	1			7		
27	from Birth			1			4		
28	Chas. J. Smith	18 June	M	1			4		
30	Chas. J. Smith	18 June	M	1			4		
18	Monterate	18 June	M	1			4		
5	Sam. L. Childers		Chie	3			1		
28	Antony J. Gaudin	18 June	M	1			4		
12	Do	18 June	Chie	3			1		
8	from Birth			1			1		
2	"			1			1		
Wks	"			1			1		
5	George H. Mife	18 June	M	1			2		
2	Mobile	18 June	M	1			3		
2	Amelia Parish	18 June	Chie	1			3		
4	Antony	18 June	M	1			3		
1	Home			1			4		
4	Mary H. H.	18 June	M	1			3		
2	Flanagan	18 June	M	1			3		
52	N. York	18 June	M	1			5		
7	N. York	18 June	M	1			5		
4									
1	N. York	18 June	M	1			10		
1	Mexico	4 May	M	1			10		
7	Mary H. H.	18 June	M	1			11		
7	N. York	18 June	M	1			11		
2	N. York	18 June	M	1			1		
6	from Birth			12			4		
1	"			12			4		
3	Mary H. H.	18 June	M	1			4		
5									
6	from Childers	18 June	M	1			10		
5	L. Landry	18 June	Chie	1			10		
7	Wiggins	18 June	M	1			1		
8	Wiggins	18 June	M	1			4		

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Maurice. Obiit die 12 Febr. ultimus aetatis 68.
\$15. Paid. fr. P. B. Perrella, S.S.
Cros't.

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Salvator. Die 8 Januarii 1914 Rev. P. B. Perrella funus interfuit
Maurice. Salvatoris Mauri 68 annorum. Obiit die Jan. 1914
\$10. Paid. ultimus aetatis.
que pag. 100 de fr. P. B. Perrella, S.S.
Rampart & Julia Cros't.

14. die

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Sunday - 6 April, 1986

Dear Bob:

The Crescent City Classic was run on Saturday this year much to the pleasure of the Ministers of the City - it was a perfect day!

For all of the previous pages, the addition to your family's history is really quite small: i.e., Joseph Fernandez's Succession record with accompanying documents and the 1870 U.S.

Census which is the only record I found where Elizabeth Caroline Downey's age was appropriate.

The preponderance of evidence suggests that she was born circa 1835 in New York to a Mr. Downey of English birth and a mother of Scotch origin. It would appear that she came to New Orleans after 1850 and before 1862. She also had no ability to sign her name; I emphasize this because anyone who lived in orphanages usually got some opportunity to learn to read and write. So

she probably was part of a family group of some sort. Also, she would have been about age 27 in 1862 when her first known child was born.

She and Joseph Fernandez may have been married much earlier than 1862; for that matter, either or both of them may have been previously married.

Also why was Lafolette Cemetery the site of their burial? H... I... much closer to other P... C... Cemeteries, it seems.

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I don't know the marriage date of Rosa Theresa Fernandez and William Nydes; she would have been about age 19 when her mother died in 1884. But since her mother's death was reported by William Nydes of 475 Grover Street, her mother's long time residence, it would be safe to assume he was then her son-in-law. He reported her a native of Connecticut. A lot of people immigrated from New York to work in the textile mills around Hartford in the 1850 era; my great-grand mother, then age 15 and of Irish origin was one of them.

Bob, for me it is so necessary to "rule out" people of similar or identical names to those in researching, that it is disconcerting to find a listing for a document which might be critical but the document is missing. In this case, I would like to have carefully read the Succession of Joseph Fernandez and wife #35,442 as would others who are researching in the future. You mentioned that your cousin obtained that original and gave it to you. If you would be interested in placing it in the Archives at the City Library where those court records now repose, you could make a good copy of it and

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send the original to me. I will see to it that it is put into safe hands there; it will also give me a chance to copy any information from it that might "connect" with the vast amount of information I studied but which is not included in this packet.

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Bob, Florence Isabella Fernandez, was apparently born 22 Nov, 1873 (she stated she was age 18 on 22 Nov. 1891 in her request for emancipation); she was age 3 when her father died and age 10 when her mother died. She further stated that her only living relative was her sister (Kosa Theresa) in 1891. Since her sister was apparently married and living in the family home when their mother died in 1884, don't you find it curious that she went to live w/ St Vincent de Paul Orphanage? Since she didn't marry until 2 years after her emancipation, apparently that wasn't what prompted her to request it. Possibly her alienation from her sister had been well rooted before she chose a husband who her sister did not approve of.

Also Bob, the great number of people who lost their lives in epidemics and the Civil War may

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have a bearing on why Florence had only one
living relative in 1891.

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Today yet, I hope to get the letter relative
to Henry Kleinkemper off to Damien Veach. I
don't have any idea how he will handle it
but I hope he does via his column if he
hasn't any information.

I will make a copy of this letter for my file
should you and I continue to pursue information
on your family. Thank you for your past
generosity and please accept this packet as
a gift.

My kindest regards to you and your mother

Tom

• Jurors duly appointed and sworn by said Honorable Court
to value the property to be inventoried.

3^d. George N. Adde, and George Hooper Competent
witnesses of legal age of majority, when at the hour of
Three O'Clock P.M. accompanied by said Minister
Elizabeth C. Fernandez, by said appraisers and wit-

nesses. I said notary did proceed to the late residence
of said deceased on Gravier Street, between Galvez and
Chris Streets, where being arrived, I did proceed to take
a true and faithful inventory of the property and effects
belonging to the Succession of said Deceased Joseph

Fernandez as the same was pointed out to me by said
Mistress Elizabeth to Fernandez, in presence of the
witnesses aforesaid, with the valuation there-
to affixed by said Appraisers to said property and
effects, in words and figures as follows. To wit

A Lot of ground with the Buildings and Im-
provements thereon, situated in the Square bounded by Com-
mon Chariv, Galvez, and Miss Streets, measuring accor-
ding to the Act of purchase before H. Madden Notary July 10th
1865, in which Joseph Fernandez acquired said Lot & there-
by three feet one inch front on Chariv Street, by one hundred
and twenty feet in depth and designated as Lot
the Five of Square the Forty Five

And which said property is valued by said Apprais-
ers at Two Hundred Dollars \$200.00

A Certain promissory note dated New Orleans
November eighteenth 1876, drawn to the order of Joseph
Fernandez, for the sum of Seventy Five Dollars \$75-
and interest from date at Eight per Cent per Annum, and
described by Montgomery Brown, identified by the paraph of
the undersigned Notary with an act passed before him
said 18th November 1876, wherein said note is secured
as to payment by Vendor here, and Officer Montgomery Brown,
and by Montgomery Brown in favor of said Fernan-
dez.

Valued by said Appraisers at Seventy Five Dollars \$75.00

Mistress Elizabeth Fernandez, in presence of the
witnesses aforesaid, with the valuation there-
to affixed by said Appraisers to said property and
effects, in words and figures as follows, To-wit-

A Lot of ground with the Buildings and Im-
provements thereon, situated in the Square bounded by Com-
mon Gravier, Salaz, and Miro Streets, measuring accord-
ing to the Act of purchase before H. Madden Notary July 10th
1865, in which Joseph Fernandez acquired said Lot a. the-
ty three feet one inch front on Gravier Street, by one hundred
and twenty feet in depth and designated as Lot
the Five of Square the Forty Five

And which said property is valued by said Apprais-
ers at Two Hundred Dollars \$200.00

A Certain promissory note dated New Orleans
November eighteenth 1876, drawn to the order of Joseph
Fernandez, for the sum of Seventy Five Dollars \$75.
and interest from date at Eight per Cent per Annum, sub-
scribed by Montgomery Brown, identified by the parol
of the undersigned Notary with an act passed before him
said 18th November 1876, wherein said note is secured
as to payment by Vendor's Lien, and Special Mortgage, given
by Montgomery Brown in favor of said Fernandez.
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Valued by said Appraisers at Seventy Five Dollars \$75.00
Edward C. Brown Secured \$215.00

Amount brought forward 12/5.00
whenever other property or effects further bring in or
about said premises and remaining to be inventoried
as said Mistrs Fernandez declared to me notary. I
did at her request, accompanied by her and by the Appraisers
and Witnesses, proceed to Genieve Street be-
tween Mandeville and Spain Street in the third District of
this City, and there arrived did proceed to continue
the taking of this Inventory as properly was pointed
out to me by the said Mistrs Fernandez, and
as said Appraisers fixed the value thereof, in the
presence of said Witness, in manner and form and
in letters and figures as follows To wit:

Two lots of ground in the third District of this City, inclosed
bounded by Genieve, Celestine, Mandeville, and Spain
Street, Measuring according to the act of purchase
passed before P. E. Laroche Notary, August 26th
1868, each twenty five feet front on Genieve Street,
by one hundred and fifty feet in depth between
parallel lines, (in french Measure)

Valued by said Appraisers at Forty Dollars 40.00

Total amount of Inventory, Three Hundred and 315.00

Fifteen Dollars

Recapitulation
Rosa Costa

out to me by the said Mistress Fernandez, and
as said Appraisers fixed the value thereof in the
presence of said Witness, in manner and form and
in letters and figures as follows To wit:

Two lots of ground in the third District of this City, in space
bounded by Genieve, Celestine, Mauderville, and Spain
Street, measuring according to the act of purchase
passed before P. E. Laroche Notary, August 26th
1868, each twenty five feet front on Genieve Street,
by one hundred and fifty feet in depth between
parallel lines, (in French Measure)

Valued by said Appraisers at Forty Dollars	\$ 40.00
Total Amount of Inventory, Three Hundred and	\$ 315.00
Fifteen Dollars	-

Recapitulation

Real Estate

Valued by said Appraisers at -	\$ 240.00
Amount Carried forward	\$ 240.00

Account by the former 1240.00

Recapitulation Continued

Note

Valued by said appraiser at 75.00

Total Amount of Inventory 1315.00

Three Hundred and Fifteen Dollars

Which was at the hour of Six O'clock P.M. No other rights, credits, property, or effects being pointed out to me Notary by the said Nicomedes Fernandez as belonging to the said Succession to be included in the inventory and said Nicomedes Fernandez declaring that she knew of no other rights, credits, property, or effects, belonging to the Succession of the said Joseph Fernandez. Seeing that those heretofore specified and set forth in the inventory, I the said Notary have closed the same and herewith subscribe my name with said appraiser and witness on the day and date aforementioned.

Nicomedes Fernandez, Not knowing how to write her name, made her mark here, as her signature.

Original Signed

Ch. Adelle

Ch. Hooper

Elizabeth C. Fernandez

J. H. M. M. M.

J. B. B.

W. B. B.

to the Notary by the said Mictm Fernandez as belonging
to the said Succession to be included in the inventory
and said Mictm Fernandez declaring that she knew of
no other rights, credits, property, or effects, belonging to
the Succession of the said Joseph Fernandez, Recor-
ding them where heretofore specified and set forth in the
inventory, to the said Notary have closed the same and
heretofore subscribe my name with said appraisers and
witnesses the day and date aforementioned

Mictm Fernandez, not knowing how to write her name, made her
mark here, as her signature

Original Signed

Ch. Adde

Ch. Hooper

Elizabeth C. Fernandez

J. A. Navarra

J. P. B. B.

A. S. Beck M. P. B.

A true Copy of the Original

Noted and February 24th 1877

A. S. Beck
M. P. B.

New Orleans Jan'y 30th 1877

This is to certify that Joseph
Fernandez was employed as
Steward on Bow St. Rio Grande
and that he fell over board
and was drowned on the night
of Jan'y 17th 1877. while the boat
was laying at Foot Wharf.

Geo. M. M. Lellan
Master "Rio Grande"
Witness

Frederic Ruché

H. Krause

TUTOR'S OATH.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

BEFORE ME,

Deputy Clerk

of the SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, personally came and appeared

who solemnly swears that she will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of

Natural Tutor of her minor child Rosa Theresa Fernandez

Florence Paulina Fernandez and

Richard Fernandez

and that she possesses no immoveable property

So Help her God

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans, March 21st 1877 Elizabeth Caroline Downey

Deputy Clerk.

LETTERS OF TUTORSHIP.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

This shall certify. To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, that on the 21st day

of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy seven

an application was made to the Honorable Judge of the Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans,

by Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey, widow of Joseph Fernandez

praying that she might be admitted to take her oath as Natural Tutor of her minor

children Rosa Theresa Fernandez

Florence Paulina Fernandez

and Richard Fernandez

Now Know Ye. That the said Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey

widow of Joseph Fernandez

has been confirmed as Natural Tutor of her aforesaid minor children and has on

the Twenty first day of March 1877 taken her

said Oath as such, and has complied with all the other requisites of the Law.

Witness our hands and the Seal of the Second District Court,

this 21st day of March 1877

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans,

1877

Deputy Clerk.

LETTERS OF TUTORSHIP.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

~~This shall certify.~~ To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, that on the 21st day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy ~~seven~~, an application was made to the Honorable Judge of the **Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans**, by Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Dourney, widow of Joseph Fernandez, praying that she might be admitted to take her oath as Natural Tutor of her minor child Rosa Theresa Fernandez

Florance Paulina Fernandez
and Richard Fernandez
Now Know Ye. That the said Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Dourney
widow of Joseph Fernandez
has been confirmed as Natural Tutor of her aforesaid minor child and and has on the Twenty first day of March 1877 taken her said Oath as such, and has complied with all the other requisites of the Law.

Witness our hands and the Seal of the **Second District Court**,
this 21st day of March in the year
of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy ~~seven~~

A. L. Trist Judge.
Paul H. Dourney Deputy Clerk.

39246
In and Court
Superior
of
Joseph Fernandez
Petitioner & the other
Natural Citizens
of the Parish of St. Louis
New Orleans 6th 1877
J. E. Bissell
Judge

Let Henry Krause be appointed & sworn as under tutor of the
within named minors and let the Inventory therein made
for be taken by W. S. Beck - Notary public in the
presence of all parties interested and let - Michael Mc Namara and
J. E. Bissell be appointed and sworn as Experts to value
the property to be inventoried -

New Orleans February 7th 1877 -

J. E. Bissell
Judge.

Let Michael Mc Namara

J. E. Bissell be appointed as appraisers

and Notary

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

~~ON 19th~~

Succession of

Joseph Fernandez

BEFORE ME,

Eugene Shortt

Deputy Clerk

of the SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, personally came and appeared

Thomas E. McTear and J. C. Bisell

who solemnly swear that they will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of ~~Experts~~ *Experts* to value the property to be inventoried in the above entitled matter.

So HELP THEM GOD.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans, *Feb 7* - 187

Eug. Shortt Deputy Clerk.

W. M. Howard
J. C. Bisell

Feb 16
Succession of J. Fernandez - 1859-246

STATE OF LOUISIANA,

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that on the *fourth* day of *February* 187*7*
an application was made before this Court by *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey*
widow of Joseph Fernandez
praying to be *confirmed* as *natural* tutor of her
following named minor *children*
Rosa Theresa Fernandez
Florencia Soledad Fernandez and
Richard Fernandez
and that, according to an inventory taken by *A. D. Beck* Notary Public on the *15* day
of *February* 187*7*, and filed in this Court on the *second* day
of *March* 187*7*, the property belonging to said minor or in which they have any interest,
is appraised at the sum of *three hundred and fifteen* dollars, \$ *315* - 00.
New Orleans, this *15* day of *March* 187*7*

Paul J. Roberts
Deputy Clerk.

MORTGAGE OFFICE--PARISH OF ORLEANS.

I CERTIFY that the above has been, this day, recorded in this office
in BOOK MINORS *Nº 100* For *Nº 40* pursuant to law. (C. C. 321.)
New Orleans, *March 16* 187*7*

C. Carcaut
Recorder of Mortgages.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

CONSIDERING, That the foregoing Certificate of minors property has been duly recorded,
it is ordered that *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey* widow of *Joseph Fernandez*
be *confirmed* natural tutor of her minor children above named and that letters of tutorship
be issued to her on her taking the oath prescribed by law.

New Orleans, *March 21* 187*7*

*Isabella Fernandez and
Richard Fernandez*
and that, according to an inventory taken by *A. D. Beck* Notary Public on the *10th* day
of *February* 1877, and filed in this Court on the *10th* day
of *March* 1877, the property belonging to said minor or in which they have any interest,
is appraised at the sum of *three hundred and fifteen* dollars, \$ *315* -
New Orleans, this *13th* day of *March* 1877

Louis J. Richard
Deputy Clerk.

MORTGAGE OFFICE-PARISH OF ORLEANS.

I CERTIFY that the above has been, this day, recorded in this office
in BOOK MINORS *No 100* For *No 40* pursuant to law. (C. C. 321.)
New Orleans, *March 16th* 1877

G. Barcantes
Recorder of Mortgages.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

CONSIDERING, That the foregoing Certificate of minors property has been duly recorded,
it is ordered that *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey* widow of *Joseph Fernandez*
be confirmed tutrix of her minor children above named and that letters of tutorship
be issued to her on her taking the oath prescribed by law.

New Orleans. *March 21st* 1877

A. L. Tesiot
Judge.

Louis J. P. ...
Deputy Clerk.

MORTGAGE OFFICE--PARISH OF ORLEANS.

I CERTIFY that the above has been, this day, recorded in this office
in BOOK MINORS No 100 For No 40 pursuant to law. (C. C. 321.)

New Orleans, March 16th 1877

L. Barcantes
Recorder of Mortgages.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

CONSIDERING, That the foregoing Certificate of minors property has been duly recorded,
it is ordered that Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Downey, widow of Joseph Fernandez,
be continued natural tutress of her minor children above named and that letters of tutorship
be issued to her on her taking the oath prescribed by law.

New Orleans, March 21st 1877

A. L. Tisot
Judge.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

39,246

Succession of *Joseph Fernandez*

BEFORE ME

Louis F. Edwards

Deputy Clerk

of the Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans, personally came and appeared

Henry Kraemer

who solemnly swear that *he* will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of

Executor of the will of
Mrs. Theresa Florence Sabella and
Richard Fernandez

So Help *me* God.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans

Feb 7

187*7*

Henry Kraemer

Deputy Clerk.

To the Hon. the Judge of the 2nd Dist.

The petition of Elizabeth Caroline
Conney, widow of Joseph Fernandez
with respect represents-

That in accordance with the order
of this Hon. Court an inventory of
the succession of her husband the late
Joseph Fernandez was taken by A. J.
Deek a Notary Public of this City.

A copy of which is hereto annexed
wherefore she prays that the inven-
tory herewith filed be approved and
ratified, and that upon compli-

ing with the formalities of law that letters
of Tutelage be granted ^{to} said minors.
Be granted ^{to} her ^{in accordance with} in accordance with
the prayer of the original petition and
also that ~~letters of Tutelage~~ a trustee
be appointed ~~under~~ Tutor.

Petitioner prays for all further
general relief.

Samuel Myers
Atty for Petr.

New Orleans Jan^y 30th 1877

This is to certify that Joseph
Fernandez was employed as
Steward on Low Bt Rio Grande
and that he fell over board
and was drowned on the night
of Jan^y 17th 1877. while the boat
was laying at Foot Wharf.

Geo. M. M. Lellan
Master "Rio Grande"
Witness

Victor Rucht

H. Krause

State of Louisiana
Parish of Orleans
City of New Orleans

By virtue of, and pursuant to an order from the
Honorable the Second District Court of the Pa-
- rish of Orleans, bearing date February Seventh
A.D. 1877, directing me notary to take an inventory of
all property belonging to the Succession of Joseph
Fernandez, Deceased, late of this City, which said
order of Court was rendered upon petition of Mis-
- tress Elizabeth Caroline Downey Surviving wife and
widow in Community of said Deceased in the mat-
- ter of the Succession of Joseph Fernandez No 39246
as the docket of said Honorable Court, and which said petition re-
- cited that her husband departed this life on the 17th January 1877
that there is issue of her marriage with said Deceased three
minor children, to wit, Rosa Theresa Fernandez aged twelve
years, Florence Isabella Fernandez aged three years &
Richard Fernandez aged three years (twins)
That said property deceased left is Community, that
petitioner desires to administer therein as Natural Tutor of
said Minors, and it is necessary that an undertutor be
appointed. That petitioner prays that an inventory
of the effects of said Succession be taken by A. V.
Beck notary, that she be qualified and confirmed

as natural tutor of said Minors, and that letter of
tutorship be granted her, and that Henry Krause, of
this city be appointed and confirmed as Under tutor of
said Minors &c, a duly Certified Copy of which
said petition and order of Court is hereto attached for
reference.

Be it known that on the nineteenth day of February
in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred
and Twenty Seven

Before me Algernon Sydney I seek a notary public
in and for the parish and State aforesaid, duly Commissioned
and qualified. Personally came and appeared

1st Mistress Elizabeth Caroline Downey, said
-ing wife, and Widow in Community of said Deceased,
and petitioner as aforesaid.

2nd Michael McNamee, and James E. Bieda, ap.

provisos duly appointed and sworn by said Honorable Court
to value the property to be inventoried.

3^d George H. Adde, and George Hooper Competent
witnesses of legal age of majority, when at the hour of
Three O'Clock P. M. accompanied by said Mistress
Elizabeth, to Fernandez, by said appraisers and wit-
-nesses. I said notary did proceed to the late residence
of said deceased on Grant Street, between Galvez and
Ohio streets, when being arrived, I did proceed to take
a true and faithful inventory of the property and effects
belonging to the Succession of said Deceased Joseph

Fernandez as the same was pointed out to me by said
Christine Elizabeth to Fernandez, in presence of the
witnesses aforesaid, with the valuation there-
to affixed by said Appraisers to said property and
effects, in words and figures as follows, To-wit

A Lot of ground with the Buildings and Im-
provements thereon, situated in the Square bounded by Com-
mon Garin, Galvez, and Miss Streets, measuring accor-
ding to the Act of purchase before H. Madden Notary July 10th
1865, in which Joseph Fernandez acquired said Lot a thir-
ty three feet one inch front on Garin Street, by one hundred
and twenty feet in depth and designated as Lot
the Five of Square the Forty Five

And which said property is valued by said Appraisers
at Two Hundred Dollars \$200.00

A Certain promissory note dated New Orleans
November eighteenth 1876, drawn to the order of Joseph
Fernandez, for the sum of Seventy Five Dollars \$75.
and interest from date at Eight per Cent per Annum, and
scribed by Montgomery Brown, identified by the signature
of the undersigned Notary with an act passed before him
which is recorded 1876, wherein said note is secured
as to payment by Vendor's Lien, and Special Mortgage, granted
by Montgomery Brown in favor of said Fernandez.

Valued by said Appraisers at Seventy Five Dollars \$75.00
Amount Carried forward \$275.00

Amount brought forward \$215.00
When no other property or effects further being in or
about said premises and remaining to be inventoried
as said Mistress Fernandez declared to me notary, I
did at her request, accompanied by her and by the Ap-
praisers and Witnesses, proceed to Genieve Street be-
tween Maudville and Spain Streets in the third District of
this city, and there arrived did proceed to continue
the taking of this Inventory as properly was pointed
out to me by the said Mistress Fernandez, and
as said Appraisers fixed the value thereof in the
presence of said Witnesses, in manner and form and
in letters and figures as follows To wit:

Two lots of ground in the third District of this city, inclosed
bounded by Genieve, Celestine, Maudville, and Spain
Streets, measuring according to the act of purchase
passed before P. E. Laroche Notary, August 26th
1868, each twenty five feet front on Genieve Street,
by one hundred and fifty feet in depth between
parallel lines, (in french measure) —

Valued by said Appraisers at Forty Dollars \$40.00

Total amount of Inventory, Two Hundred and \$215.00

Fifteen Dollars

Recapitulation

Real Estate

Valued by said Appraisers at \$240.00

Amount Carried forward \$240.00

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Account Crayle forward \$240.00

Recapitulation Continued

Note

Valued by said appraiser at 75.00

Total amount of Inventory \$315.00

Three Hundred and Fifteen Dollars

Which was at the hour of Six O'clock P.M. No other rights, credits, property, or effects being pointed out to me Notary by the said Mistress Fernandez as belonging to the said Succession to be included in this inventory and said Mistress Fernandez declaring that she knew of no other rights, credits, property, or effects, belonging to the Succession of the said Joseph Fernandez. Recalling that those heretofore specified and set forth in this inventory, I the said Notary have closed the same and herewith subscribe my name with said appraiser and witnesses the day and date aforesaid.

Mistress Fernandez, not knowing how to write her name, made her mark here, as her signature.

Original Signed

Elizabeth C. Fernandez

W. H. Adde

J. H. Adams

Chas. Hooper

J. E. Biscoe

A. S. Deeks Notary

A true Copy of the Original

New Orleans February 24th 1877

A. S. Deeks

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

1924

Succession of

John Fernandez

BEFORE ME,

John F. Fernandez

Deputy Clerk

of the SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, personally came and appeared

John Fernandez

who solemnly swear that *he* will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of

Executor to the will of
Mrs. Theresa Florence Stabile
Richard Fernandez

So HELP me GOD.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans,

Feb 7 187*7*

Deputy Clerk.

Henry Krasner

To the Hon. the Judge of the 2nd Dist.

The petition of Elizabeth Christine
Gentry, widow of Joseph Fernandez
with respect to her estate-

That in accordance with the order
of this Hon. Court the inventory of
the succession of her husband the late
Joseph Fernandez was taken by H. J.
Deek a Notary Public of this city.

A copy of which is hereto annexed
wherefore she prays that the inven-
tory herewith filed be approved and
homologated and that upon comply-

ing with the formalities of law that letters
of Tutorship be granted to said Thomas
Deek a Notary Public in accordance with
the prayer of the original petition and
also that ~~letters of tutorship~~ be
be appointed ~~tutor~~ Tutor

Petitioner prays for all further
General relief

Special Agent
Atty for Petr.

joined as ~~last~~ under tutor of said
Minors And petition pray for all
general & further relief

Scarl Meyer
Att'y for Mrs

Henry Krauss being duly sworn deposes that
Joseph Fernandez died in this city on or about the 17th
Jan'y 1877, as set forth herein

born at the break of day
the 11th of 6th July 1877

Henry Krauss

and J. F. Krauss
Attest

New Orleans Jan'y 30th 1877

This is to certify that Joseph
Fernandez was employed as
Steward on the Steamer

<i>Wm. H. H. H.</i>	<i>Feb. 7th 1877</i>	<i>Public & the office Notary Public</i>	<i>Joseph Fernandez</i>	<i>Notary Public</i>	<i># 39.216</i>
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Let Henry Krause be appointed & sworn as under tutor of the
 within named minors and let the Inventory be taken & signed
 for be taken by M. S. Beck - Notary public in the
 presence of all parties interested and to-wit: Michael, H. Krause and
 J. L. Russell be appointed and sworn as Experts to value
 the property to be inventoried. -
 New Orleans February 7th 1877. -
J. L. Russell
 Judge.
 Let Michel Krause
 J. L. Russell be appointed as under tutor,
 and let the Inventory be taken & signed.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

No. 3917

Succession of

Josephine Fernandez

BEFORE ME,

Josephine Fernandez

Deputy Clerk

of the Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans, personally came and appeared

Josephine Fernandez and *C. Biselli*

who solemnly swear that they will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of ~~Appraisers~~ *Experts*

to value the property to be inventoried in the above entitled matter

SO HELP THEM GOD.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans,

Feb 11 - 187

Wm. Howard
J. B. Bice
Deputy Clerk.

March 16
Succession of J. P. Fernandez - Page 2 of 6
STATE OF LOUISIANA,

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that on the *15th* day of *February* 187*7*
an application was made before this Court by *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Dancy*
widow of Joseph Fernandez
praying to be *conservator* as *intendant* *tutor* of her
following named minor *children*
Rose Blanche Fernandez
Simone Celestine Fernandez and
Pauline Fernandez

and that, according to an inventory taken by *A. L. Pick* Notary Public on the *15th* day
of *February* 187*7*, and filed in this Court on the *15th* day
of *March* 187*7*, the property belonging to said minor or in which they have any interest,
is appraised at the sum of *Three hundred and fifteen* dollars, \$ *315* - *00*.

New Orleans, this *15th* day of *March* 187*7*

Wm. H. Edwards
Deputy Clerk.

MORTGAGE OFFICE--PARISH OF ORLEANS.

I CERTIFY that the above has been, this day, recorded in this office
in BOOK MINORS *Nº 150* For *Nº 40* pursuant to law. (C. C. 321.)

New Orleans, *March 16th* 187*7*

G. Barcantes
Recorder of Mortgages.

SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS.

CONSIDERING, That the foregoing Certificate of minors property has been duly recorded,
it is ordered that *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Dancy* widow of *Joseph Fernandez*
be *conservator* *intendant* *tutor* of her minor children above named and that letters of tutorship
be issued to her on her taking the oath prescribed by law.

New Orleans, *March 24th* 187*7*

A. L. Tisot
Judge.

To the Honble the Judge of the Second
District Court for the Parish of Iberville
The petition of Mrs Elizabeth Caroline
Downey, widow of Joseph Fernandez ^{who resides in this City}
Respectfully represent

That ~~the~~ said husband departed this
life on the 17 July 1897, having fallen
on board from the Steamer Rio Grand
into the Mississippi river ^{while at moment when} ~~was~~ down as will
appear from the annexed Certificate of Yes
Mr Mc Clelland Master thereof made
and signed. That there is issue of said
Marriage three minor children to wit
Rosa Theresa Fernandez aged twelve
years. Florence Isabella Fernandez
aged three years & Richard Fer-
nandez aged three years (twins)

That what property deceased left is
Community. That your petitioner desires
to administer herein as Natural Tutor of
said Minors. It is necessary ^{that an order be appointed before} that an order
Wherefore petitioner prays that an inventory
of the effects of said deceased be taken
by J. Beck, Notary Public of this City.

That letters of said petitioner be ^{granted &} confirmed
as Natural Tutor of said Minors and
that letters of Tutorship be granted her
by this Honble Court and that Henry
Kramer of this City be appointed & con-

joined as ~~last~~ under tutor of said
Minors And petition pray for all
general & further relief
Scarl Meyer
Atty for the

Henry Kraus being duly sworn deposes that
Joseph Fernandez died in this city on or about the 17th
July 1777, as set forth herein
born at Kilmuckin, Ireland
Died this 17th July 1777.
Henry Kraus
Louis F. Richard
Atty

New Orleans Jan 30 1877

This is to certify that Joseph
Fernandez was employed as
man of color

*State of Louisiana
Parish of Orleans
City of New Orleans*

By virtue of, and pursuant to an order from the
Honorable the Second District Court of the Pa-
- rish of Orleans, bearing date February Seventh
A.D. 1877, directing me notary to take an inventory of
all property belonging to the Succession of Joseph
Fernandez, Deceased, late of this City, which said
order of Court was rendered upon petition of Mis-
- tress Elizabeth Caroline Downey Surviving wife and
widow in Community of said Deceased in the Mat-
- ter of the Succession of Joseph Fernandez No 39246
in the docket of said Honorable Court, and which said petition re-
- cited that her husband departed this life on the 17th January 1877,
that there is issue of her marriage with said Deceased three
minor children, to wit, Rosa Thérèse Fernandez aged twelve
years, Florence Isabella Fernandez aged three years &
Richard Fernandez aged three years (twins)

That what property deceased left, is Community, and
petitioner desires to administer herein as Natural Tutor of
said minors, and it is necessary that an undertutor be
appointed. That petitioner prays that an inventory
of the effects of said Succession be taken by A.V.
Beck notary, that she be qualified and confirmed

as natural tutor of said Minors, and that letter of
tutorship be granted her, and that Henry Krause of
this city be appointed and confirmed as Under tutor of
said Minors &c., a duly Certified Copy of which
said petition and order of Court is hereto attached for
reference.

Be it known that on this nineteenth day of February
in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred
and Seventy Seven

Before me Algernon Sydney Beck a notary public
in and for the parish and State aforesaid, duly Commission-
ed, and qualified. Personally came and appeared
1st Mistress Elizabeth Caroline Downey, sum-
-ing wife, and Widow in Community of said Deceased,
and petitioner as aforesaid

2nd Michael M. Namara, and James E. Bissell, ap-

TUTOR'S OATH.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

Succession of *Joseph Fernandez*
BEFORE ME, *Paul J. Proulx* Deputy Clerk
of the SECOND DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, personally came and appeared
Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Doney
who solemnly swear that *she* will well and faithfully perform all and singular the duties of
Natural Tutor of her minor child *Rosa Theresa Fernandez*
Thomas Francis Fernandez
Richard Fernandez
and that *she* possesses *no* immoveable property.

So HELP her God

Sworn to and Subscribed before me,

New Orleans,

1877

Paul J. Proulx Deputy Clerk.

LETTERS OF TUTORSHIP.

Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

This shall Certify. To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, that on the *21st* day
of *March* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy *seven*
an application was made to the Honorable Judge of the Second District Court for the Parish of Orleans,
by *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Doney*, widow of *Joseph Fernandez*
praying that *she* might be admitted to take her oath as Natural Tutor of her minor
children *Rosa Theresa Fernandez*
Thomas Francis Fernandez
Richard Fernandez

Now Know Ye. That the said *Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Doney*
widow of *Joseph Fernandez*
has been confirmed as Natural Tutor of her aforesaid minor children and has on
the *Twenty first* day of *March* 1877 taken her
said Oath as such, and has complied with all the other requisites of the Law.

Witness our hands and the Seal of the Second District Court,

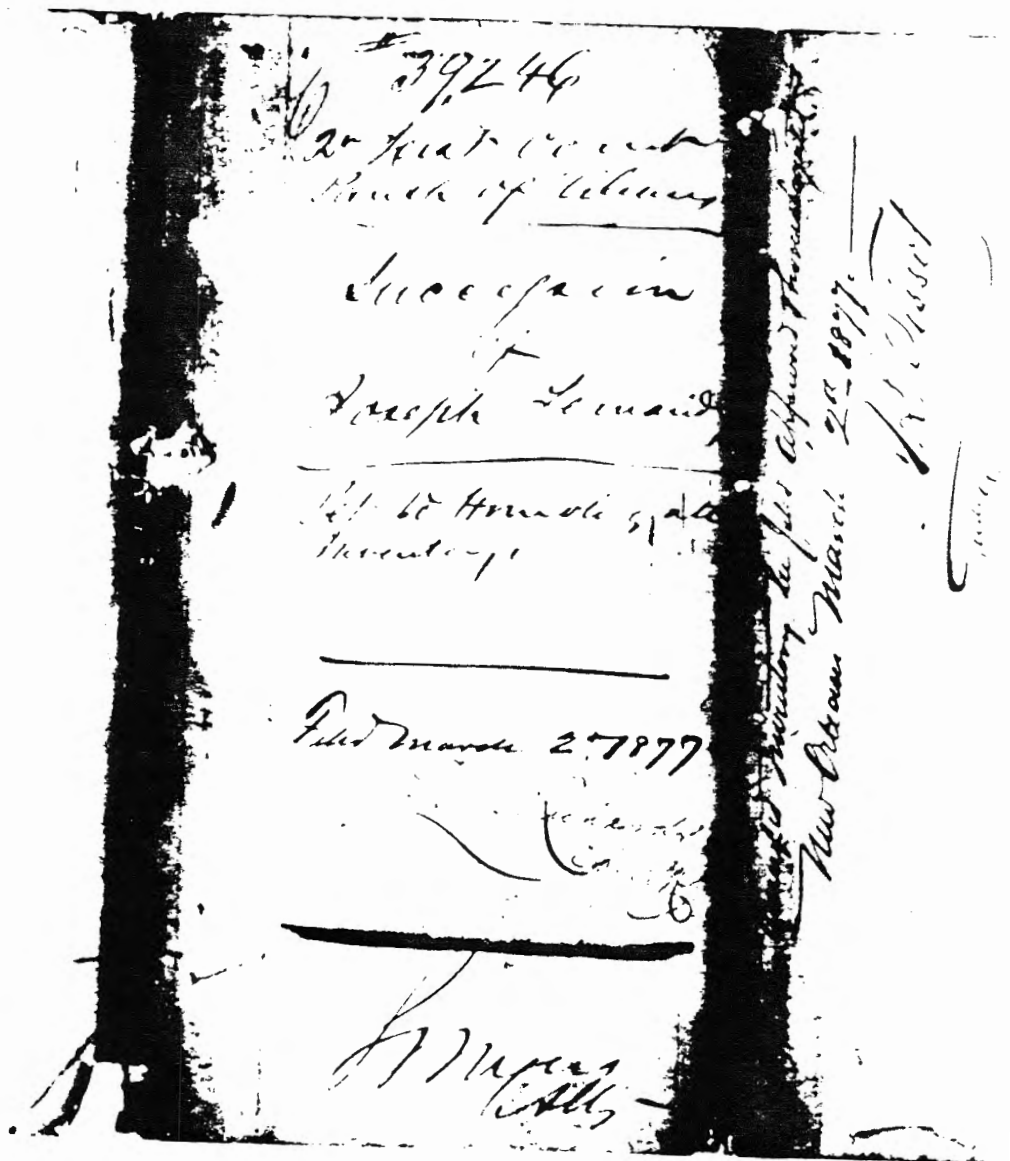
this *21st* day of *March* in the year
of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy *seven*

A. L. Tiviot Judge
Paul J. Proulx Clerk

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Call by Title

THE
ROBERT L. LANDRUM, JR.
COLLECTION



To the Hon. the Judge of the Second
District Court for the Parish of Orleans
The petition of Mrs Elizabeth Caroline
Downey, widow of Joseph Fernandez ^{who resides in this City}
Respectfully represent

That ~~the~~ said husband departed this
life on the 17 July 1897, having fallen
on board from the steamer Rio Grand
into the Mississippi river ^{while at moment when} down as will
appear from the annexed Certificate of Geo
M Mc Clelland Master thereof made
and heard. That there is issue of said
Marriage three minor children to wit
Rosa Theresa Fernandez aged twelve
years. Florence Isabelle Fernandez
aged three years & Richard Fer-
nandez aged three years (twins)

That what property deceased left is
Community. That your petitioner desires
to administer herein as Natural Tutor of
said Minors, it is necessary ^{Tutor by appointment herein} that an Under-
Wherefore petitioner prays that an Inventory
of the effects of said deceased be taken
by a Beck Notary Public of this City.
That letters of said petitioner be ^{granted &} confirmed
as Natural Tutor of said Minors and
that letters of Tutorship be granted her
by this Hon. Court and that Henry
Kramer of this City be appointed & con-

Also See:

1. *Landrum Family History Genealogy*